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Arrivals.

Banks.

Intimations.

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Dec. 3, Asia, Danish steamer, 880, Molson, Hamburg 29th September, Southampton 4th October, Port Said 20th, Suez 23rd, Gall 31st, and Singapore 25th November, General, Wm. Pustau & Co.

Dec. 4, THALIS, British srt., 775, Young, Shanghai November 26th, General, OLYPHANT & Co.

Dec. 4, H.L.C.M. g.b. Wing-Po, Capt. Sun-shun-fa, from Foochow.

Dec. 4, UNITED SERVICE, Brit. srt., 728, H. Schindler, Singapore and Malacca 15th November, General, CHINESE.

Dec. 4, PENG-CHAO-HOI, Chinese gun-boat, 600, Peking, from Loo 6th November.

Dec. 4, H.L.C.M. g.b. CHEM-LO, Robert, Suez, November 23rd December.

Dec. 4, NORMA, Brit. srt., 506, Koch, Swatow 3rd December, General, Kwook Acheong.

Departures.

Dec. 4, YEN-YUN, srt., for Swatow.

Dec. 4, MILLESE, srt., for San Francisco.

Dec. 4, MELBOURNE, for Manding.

Dec. 4, SYDNEY, srt., for Suez, &c.

Dec. 4, NORMA, srt., for Shanghai.

Dec. 4, H.L.C.M. g.b. CHEM-LO, for Canton.

Clearances.

AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, December 4th.

Arry, for Bangkok.

Passengers.

Per THALES, srt., from Shanghai—
Capt. Lamont, Mr. Crane, and 29 Chinese.
Per Asia, srt., from Hamburg—
Messrs. Schleiper, Rautenberg and Holm.
For Unit'd Service, srt., from Singapore, etc.—
100 Chinese.
Per NORMA, srt., from Swatow—
1 European, 200, and 30 Chinese.

Per SWATOW, srt., for Suez, &c.—
Messrs. J. M. Burrows, W. E. Solomon, F. Collins and Lady, O. B. Collins, Hon. J. Faunce.

Reports.

The British steamship THALES reports left Hamburg on 29th September, Southampton on 4th October, Port Said on the 23rd, Suez on the 25th, Gall on the 31st, and Singapore on November 25th; had the usual monsoon weather.

The British steamship NORMA reports left Swatow on 3rd December, had light N.E. breezes and fine weather throughout; passed the steamship Eddington and one of Holt's steamers of Nine Pins; in Swatow the steamship Shakespeare and Ben Ledi.

Vessels Expected at Hongkong.
(Corrected to Date.)

Vessel's Name. From. Date.
DUNDEE, Louis D. Murray. 17
Banister, London. Aug. 8
Admiral Cadogan, New York. Aug. 12
Korean. Cardiff. Sept. 4
Aline. Cardiff. Sept. 5
Civile. Hamburg. Sept. 5
Gryfe. London. Sept. 12
Ingeborg. Cardiff. Sept. 22
Genoese. Liverpool. Sept. 25
Prestwich (s.). Southampton. Sept. 25
Hydra. Cardiff. Sept. 25
Nimpo (s.). London. Oct. 4
Elias. Cardiff. Oct. 5
Atalanta (s.). Boston. Oct. 11
M. A. Holman. Cardiff. Oct. 13
Oncor (s.). London. Oct. 15
Sarpedon (s.). Liverpool. Oct. 21
Deudorix (s.). Liverpool. Nov. 4
Vasco da Gama (s.). London. Nov. 15

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AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Secretaries.

1883 Hongkong, 1st December, 1873.

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OHINA AND JAPAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

SHANGHAI, 20th October, 1873.

NOTICE.

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE TICHBORNE TRIAL.

(Daily Telegraph.)

112TH DAY.—TUESDAY.

We yesterday summed up Captain Brown's evidence to this effect—that he had been at Rio when Roger Tichborne was there; he is certain the defendant is him; that he had on two occasions, allowed the young Englishman to share his bedroom; that he had consequently seen him stripped; and had seen a brown mark on his side and a scar on his wrist; that he had left Roger Tichborne on board the *Bella* the morning she sailed, having first seen him drink some brandy; that Richard Captain Yates, Captain of the *Bella*, who was also present, was the young Englishman; that the *Bella* made her voyage out of harbours with Mr. Tichborne on board; and that from that day forth he (Captain Brown) had never again seen Roger Tichborne until he identified him at a meeting at Brighton's, at Wapping, saying to him, "If you are the real Roger Tichborne, you have had a hard time of it." Captain Yates, who was also present, was all "pretty well drunk" that day, and brought back to be retained on the coast. But our case is not so hard at that of the better class of residents at Constantinople, who have lately been deprived of fish altogether, owing to the combination of the Government and the monopolies contractors of the market. It comes then the law is that all fish caught has to be brought to the fish-market direct where the bringer has to begin by paying a duty of 25 per cent. on a nominal value fixed by an official. But after this he is not allowed to sell himself to the public at retail. His stock is that from him and not by auction, and the dealers purchase it at the expense of the greater quantity who live by it in London. To such an extent has this double system of oppression been of late carried, that the fisherman found themselves earning less than a farthing a day. So they have in great part quitted the trade; and though the sea is now almost swarm with fish, the inhabitants of Constantinople, and especially of Port, have to go without.

LUCKY FOR THE FISH.

(Post Mail Gazette.)

Most of us who live in the Baltic seem to go to any sensible place to buy our fish to brighten up our winter. We have had to sue the official committee of dealers for the London market, which prevents our getting anything fresher than that which has been up to Billingsgate and brought back to be retained on the coast. But our case is not so hard at that of the better class of residents at Constantinople, who have lately been deprived of fish altogether, owing to the combination of the Government and the monopolies contractors of the market. It comes then the law is that all fish caught has to be brought to the fish-market direct where the bringer has to begin by paying a duty of 25 per cent. on a nominal value fixed by an official. But after this he is not allowed to sell himself to the public at retail. His stock is that from him and not by auction, and the dealers purchase it at the expense of the greater quantity who live by it in London. To such an extent has this double system of oppression been of late carried, that the fisherman found themselves earning less than a farthing a day. So they have in great part quitted the trade; and though the sea is now almost swarm with fish, the inhabitants of Constantinople, and especially of Port, have to go without.

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1871 Hongkong, Shanghai, Colonia (Germany).

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